

Implementing SB 1376

TNCs: Access for Persons with Disabilities

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Establishment of Geographic Areas

Where should the Commission designate the geographic areas for collection and distribution of the Access Fund?

The goal is **equivalent service**, therefore geographic areas should be established within boundaries that provide reasonable benchmarks for **equivalent response times**.

The goal is **Access for All**. Geographic areas should cover every part of the state where TNCs are providing or will provide service to the general public.

Establishment of Geographic Areas

What information can be used by the Commission to determine WAV supply and demand?

Commission staff can analyze typical response times to help establish both boundaries and benchmarks for equivalent response times. The Commission currently receives this data from TNCs.

Like New York City, the Commission can utilize this data to understand the current market, and establish benchmarks that ramp up over time.

Establishment of Geographic Areas

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New York City Wait Time Benchmarks		
Evaluation Point	Trips serviced in 15 minutes or less	Trips serviced in 30 minutes or less
June, 2019	60%	90%
June, 2020	80%	90%
June, 2021	90% (including 80% in 10 minutes or less)	_

Access Fund Expenditures

What types of on-demand program or partnership applications should be considered for funding?

This is dependent upon the status of service in each area. Based on the progress of TNC accessibility in each area, Access Providers may be:

Alternatives to TNC

or

Supplemental to TNCs

Access Fund Expenditures

What expenditure criteria should the Commission adopt to select on-demand programs or partnerships to receive funding from the Access Fund?

Criteria should focus on supporting on-demand programs that help provide **equivalent level of service in the market** (geographic area).

The Commission should focus on ensuring the TNCs and other access providers are providing reliable, equivalent, affordable, and safe service.

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